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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil 4:30 pm **Sunday** 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:00 am, 12:30 pm, 6:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday to Friday

8:30 am

1st Friday of the month:

7:30 pm Followed by Holy Hour & Benediction

Saturday 9:00 am **Holiday Mondays**

8:30 am Mass only

CONFESSION

Anytime by appointment. **1st Fridays** 6:30 - 7:15 pm **Saturday** 3:15 - 4:15 pm

DEVOTIONS

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Mondays at 9:00 am in the Church Followed by Holy Rosary with Cenacle M.M.P.

PARISH OFFICE

Sunday: Closed Monday: Closed

Tuesday - Friday 9 AM - 1 PM

2 PM - 4 PM

(closed for lunch from 1pm - 2pm)

Saturday: 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

OUR NEW EMAIL ADDRESS:

stjosephmi@archtoronto.org

PARISH TEAM

Fr Paul Dobson Parish Priest Fr Anish Alex Associate Pastor Rev. Mr George Jurenas Deacon

SACRAMENTS

Baptism Call the parish office or email baptisms@stjosephstreetsville.com First Holy Communion / Confirmation

email sacraments.stjosephmi@gmail.com or call 905-826-2766 ext 226

Anointing of the Sick For the ill and elderly. Contact the parish office.

Marriage Couples must contact the parish office (905-826-2766) or by email stjosephmi@archtoronto.org

*** Or refer to our website tab | Sacraments at St. Joseph | at https://stjosephmi.archtoronto.org for more information

MINISTRIES

Catholic Women's League Every 3rd Saturday at 9:30 am.

Rashmy Lobo: cwlrashmy@gmail.com

Divine Mercy Prayer Group Alphonsa Meyn: 416-659-1490

Email: dmpgdurie@gmail.com

Prayer Line: 905-817-1288, elsa sa@live.com

Knights of Columbus Every 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 pm. Contact Grand Knight Antonio D'Souza: 647-323-2797, GK8661@ontariokofc.ca

Legion of Mary For inquiries or to have Our Lady of Fatima statue to visit your home, email stjosephlegionofmary@yahoo.ca

Rosary Apostolate Margaret: 289-914-5747, Aileen: 905-607-6851

St. Joseph's Protectors Pro-life group: stjosephprotectors@gmail.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society Call the parish office ext. 3

Youth Ministry Megan ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com

St. Iulia

St. Joseph

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PARISH SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Good Voyage 5850 River Grove Ave St. Herbert 5180 Fallingbrook Dr St. Raymond 5735 Whitehorn Ave St. Barbara 1455 Samuelson Cir

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NEW PARISHONERS 905-567-8422 St. Gregory

905-858-1171

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or on our website in the Contact Us Tab

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Request Parish Registration at the Office

905-814-5237 905-795-2706 905-826-4422 905-812-1376

IN MEAM COMMEMORATIONEM

MASS INTENTIONS

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	SAT	20	
	4:30	pm †	Matthew Kennedy
	SUN	21	Fourth Sunday of Easter
			World Day of Prayer for Vocations
	8:00	am †	Jose Baptista
	9:30	am	Prop Popolo
	11:00	am †	Alexander Nazareth
	12:30	pm †	Gilbert Anthony D'Souza
	6:00	pm †	Veronica D'Souza
	MON	22	
	8:30	am †	Walter Teodoro
	TUES	23	St. George
	8:30	am	In Thanksgiving to St. George
	WED	24	
	8:30	am †	Gilda + Francesco Bilotta
	THUR	25	St. Mark The Evangelist
	8:30	am †	Antonio Ricciardi
	FRI	26	Our Lady of Good Counsel
	8:30	am	Multiple Intentions Mass
	SAT	27	

Our Lady of Fatima Procession Saturday May 11 following 4:30 pm Mass

Multiple Intentions Mass

Volunteers Are Needed to help with this event. Please contact Gus if you can assist.

SPIRITUAL WALK-IN MINISTRY

9:00

am

with Deacon George - To answer questions and lend spiritual support. Tuesdays 11 am - 3 pm Thursdays 5 - 8 pm. (25 minute slots) (No cost)

Book appointment with QR code or https://bit.ly/3YDCZpc or drop-in.

TOTUS TUUS 2024 Summer Camp - Save the Date!

Children grade 1 - 6: July 22 - July 26 Teens grade 7-12: July 21 – July 25. email ym.stjosephmi@gmail.com to register.

Smile for the week:

How do dinosaurs celebrate Easter? **Answer**

They don't. They're eggs-tinct.

EVANGELIUM VITAE

To the Bishops, Priests and Deacons, Men and Women Religious, Lay Faithful, and all People of Good Will on the Value and Inviolability of Human Life.

2. - THE INCOMPARABLE WORTH OF THE HUMAN PERSON Man is called to a fullness of life which far exceeds the dimensions of his earthly existence, because it consists in sharing the very life of God. The loftiness of this supernatural vocation reveals the greatness and the inestimable value of human life even in its temporal phase.

Life in time, in fact, is the fundamental condition, the initial stage and an integral part of the entire unified process of human existence. It is a process which, unexpectedly and undeservedly, is enlightened by the promise and renewed by the gift of divine life, which will reach its full realization in eternity (cf. 1 Jn 3:1-2).

At the same time, it is precisely this supernatural calling which highlights the relative character of each individual's earthly life. After all, life on earth is not an "ultimate" but a "penultimate" reality; even so, it remains a sacred reality entrusted to us, to be preserved with a sense of responsibility and brought to perfection in love and in the gift of ourselves to God and to our brothers and sisters.

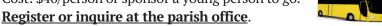
The Church knows that this Gospel of life, which she has received from her Lord, has a profound and persuasive echo in the heart of every person-believer and non-believer alikebecause it marvellously fulfils all the heart's expectations while infinitely surpassing them. Even in the midst of difficulties and uncertainties, every person sincerely open to truth and goodness can, by the light of reason and the hidden action of grace, come to recognize in the natural law written in the heart (cf. Rom 2:14-15) the sacred value of human life from its very beginning until its end, and can affirm the right of every human being to have this primary good respected to the highest degree. Upon the recognition of this right, every human community and the political community itself are founded.

~IOANNES PAULUS PP. II, Regina Caeli Address. Given in Rome, at Saint Peter's, March 25 the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord, in the year 1995, the seventeenth of my Pontificate.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARCH FOR LIFE 2024 Ottawa – May 9

Join thousands of Canadians for the National March for Life. Bus pickup/drop off: St Joseph Parish parking lot at 6:30 am Cost: \$40/person or sponsor a young person to go.



MINISTRIES

SHARELIFE - 61st World Day of Prayer for Vocations Invest in our Church's future by giving to ShareLife

Your kindness and devotion enable St. Augustine's Seminary, along with the Office of Vocations and Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary, to provide an excellent formation for our seminarians as they pursue a life of service. This past year, you invested in our Church's future by supporting 58 seminarians at St. Augustine's Seminary and Redemptoris Mater Missionary Seminary.

NEXT FAITH STUDY - Why We Worship

Why is the Mass so special? Many are confused by the rituals and words of the Mass. Some even think that most of the Mass is just 'made up'--a tradition of men. NOT TRUE! Learn how to understand what the Bible says about the mystery and meaning of worship. 6 sessions. Monday evenings (Apr 22, 29; May 6,13,17; June 3) in the hall at 7 pm OR Tuesday mornings (Apr 23, 30; May 7,14,18; June 4) at 9:00 am upstairs. No registration is required.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Celebration: The Feast of Our Lady of Good Counsel The patron saint of Catholic Women's League

Friday April 26th. Holy Mass at 6 pm to be celebrated by Fr. Paul Dobson followed by reception in the hall (Finger food will be appreciated). All are welcome to join.

Mother's Day Afternoon Tea * fundraiser event Saturday – May 18, 1 – 3 pm in the hall. Cost: \$25 pp.

Please RSVP for this event by April 20 →

For payment: Include CWL Tea Party in the subject

or envelope title. Include full name + Telephone/Email address. e-Transfer to cwltheresam@gmail.com

Or bring cash to the parish office in a sealed envelope.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Prayer Meetings Wednesdays - 7 pm in the Parish Hall

In preparation for the "PENTECOST NIGHT OF PRAYER" 9-DAY NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

From: Friday May 10 to Saturday May 18, 2024 – 6.30 p.m. (Except: Saturday 5.30 pm – Wednesday 6 pm)

"They devoted themselves to constant prayer" (Acts 1:14)

HOLY MASS WITH SPIRITUAL & PHYSICAL HEALING PRAYERS

Wednesday, May 22, 2024 – 6.45 p.m. (Celebrant: Fr. Anish Alex)

"The Lord heals the broken hearted and binds up their wounds" (Psalm 147:3)

"PENTECOST NIGHT OF PRAYER" - WITH HOLY MASS

Wednesday, May 29, 2024 - 6.45 p.m. (Celebrant: Fr. David Avila)

"How much more the Heavenly Father will give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him." (Luke 11:13)

*** Everyone is welcome at all our meetings and events ***

AROUND THE ARCH

*** World Day of Prayer for Vocations ***

The world needs leaders with courage and integrity. The Church needs good leaders as well, leaders who will unselfishly care for the needs of God's people and minister to them. If you feel God is calling you to priesthood, religious life or deaconate, call or email Fr. Matt McCarthy,

Director of Vocations, at 416-968-0997.

www.vocationstoronto.ca vocations@archtoronto.org

UPCOMING MANRESA SILENT RETREAT WEEKENDS

Do Monkeys Go to Heaven? April 26 – 28 with Fr John McCarthy There persists a seemingly widespread notion that religious faith and empirical science must, by necessity, be in conflict! Examine the wisdom and beauty of the dance of science and faith. At: Manresa Jesuit Renewal Centre 2325 Liverpool Rd., Pickering, Ontario

Info & Register at: manresa-canada.ca/events/



WOMEN'S DAY RETREAT: "Attitude with Gratitude"

Saturday May 4, 8:30 am - 3:00pm.

\$45.00 includes coffee/tea with muffins and a hot lunch. - MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED DURING THE DAY -

Queen of Apostles Renewal Centre 1617 Blythe Road, Mississauga

For more information: Jean 905-2785229 or office@goa.ca.

THIS WEEK ON F⊙RMED

The Catholic Faith on Demand April 14, 2024

The Pro-Life Reply to: "Abortion Will Stop Overpopulation"



Some abortion advocates say that abortion is necessary to stop the world from becoming overpopulated. But is this true? Is the world really facing an overpopulation crisis? And even if it were true, would aborting large

numbers of people be a moral way to respond. 5 min



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THE BIRTH OF JESUS CHANGED THE COURSE OF HUMAN HISTORY

Register with an email and parish code: V9WRHN or search for St. Joseph Parish Mississauga.

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